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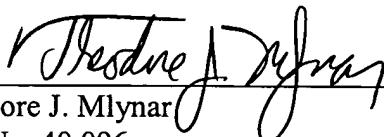
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time to reply to the Official Action mailed January 13, 2003. This three month extension extends the period for response to Monday, July 14, 2003. Check No. 7647 in the amount of \$465.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for this extension for a small entity. Please charge any additional fees due, and credit any overpayment to, Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

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